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Fables, Friends & Fruitcake! A Holiday Frolic in Old Town San Diego.

It's holiday time and the good citizens of 19th century San Diego would like to take you with them as they tell stories, gossip about each other, visit each other's homes, and attempt to dispose of a fruitcake. This comedy performance is an immersive tour where the audience strolls about Old Town and meets some of the 19th century characters who actually lived here. Joshua Sloane is having a "spirited" Christmas at the Printing Office and has stolen some of Mrs. Robinson's letters. Señor Estudillo will welcome you into his hacienda and attempt to discover why the Americanos are so concerned about a fruitcake. These are some of the characters you will meet as you are walked around the Plaza at the State Historic Park experiencing the holidays and people of some 150 years ago. Take a stroll with us and discover a different Old Town San Diego.

Tickets are \$10 each for adults and \$5.00 for children ages 13-17. Tickets are sold on a first-come-first-served basis at the Robinson-Rose Visitor Information Center on the day of the performance. Advance reservations may be made through the Internet at www.brownpapertickets/event/88444. Tickets purchased through Brown Paper Tickets will receive a discount. Performances are limited to 50 people. Programs will begin at 6:00 p.m. on November 27 & 28, December 4,5,11,12,18,19, 26 & 27 and January 2. There will be matinee programs at 3:00 p.m. on November 28, December 5, 12,19, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and January 2. It is strongly recommended that you be at the Visitor Center approximately 15 minutes before the start of the tour. This performance is a walking tour. Dress comfortably.

Information:

Program Name: Fables, Friends & Fruitcake!
Location: Old Town San Diego State Historic Park. Performance tours begin at the Robinson-Rose Visitor Information Center on the Plaza at 4002 Wallace Street.
Performance Dates and Times: 6:00 p.m.
November 27 & 28, December 4,5,11,12,18,19, 26 & 27 and January 2.
3:00 p.m. (matinee)
November 28, December 5, 12,19, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and January 2.
Please be at the Visitor Center 15 minutes before the performance begins.
Cost: Adults: \$10 per ticket; Children 13-17: \$5.00. Children under 12 are free if accompanied by a ticket holding adult.
Program Length: 1 hour.
Tickets: Robinson-Rose Visitor Information Center. Tickets are only available on the day of the tour on a first-come-first-served basis. Advance reservations are only available through Brown Paper Tickets.
Reservations: www.brownpapertickets/event/88444
Information: 619-220-5422
Webpage: www.parks.ca.gov/oldtownsandiego